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REPRESENTATIVE KIKA DE LA GARZA ANNOUNCES  
USDA/RECDS COLONIA GRANT TO BRING  
WASTEWATER SERVICES TO MONTE ALTO SUBDIVISION

For Immediate Release: 25 July 1995

WASHINGTON, DC--Congressman Kika de la Garza announces the award by the U S Department of Agriculture's Rural Economic and Community Development Service agency of a Section 306 colonia grant totaling nearly \$1.7 million to the North Alamo Water Supply Corporation to bring wastewater services to an Hidalgo County colonia.

"This is wonderful news for more than 886 low-income households in the Monte Alto Subdivision who do not have basic wastewater services. This funding will provide more sanitary handling of wastewater that will benefit both the residents living in the colonia and in surrounding areas," Rep de la Garza said.

The proposed improvements include a conventional gravity flow collection system for the delivery of wastewater to a centralized treatment facility which is an activated sludge oxidation ditch.

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